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Pennsylvania	Harrisburg 2d Tuesday in October.
Maryland Virginia	Annapolis 1st Wednesday in November 2th Thursday in May.
North Carolina	. Columbia 24 Monday in October.
Georgia Florida	Tallahassee 1st Monday in October.
Alabama	
Texas	Austin 1st Monday in August.
Tennessee	Nashville 1st Thursday in August.
Ohio Indiana	Columbus 2d Tuesday in October
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Wisconsin	Madison Tu. after 1st Mon. in Nov. Sacramento Tu. after 1st Mon. in Sept.

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Connecticut	Alexander M. Holl	ey . 1,100 1	May 1858
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	Henry A. Wine	5,000 3	
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	R. F. W. Alston		
	Joseph E. Brown	3,000 2	
	Madison S. Perry	1,500 4.	Oct. 1861
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	R. C. Wickliffe		
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California	John B. Weller	6,000 2	Jan. 1860
Minnesota	Samuel Medary	2.500 4	Mar. 1861
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RATES OF CHARGES FOR HACKNEY CARRIAGES, CABS, &v.

Extract from an act of the Corporation, approved March 20, 1842.]

Sec. 12. And be it enacted, That from and after the passage of this act, the following rates of fare or charges for the conveyance of persons from one place to another in the city of Washington, in hackney carriages, cabe, or other vehicles, carrying passagers for pay or hire, between daybreak and eight o'clock p. m., shall not be occeed—that is to say, for each any every passager, for a distance not over one and a half mile, twenty-five cents: for any distance over one and a half mile, and not exceeding three miles fifty cents; Presides, In case any hackney carriage, cab, or other vehicle, the same obtained for a isosage period than tive minutes so detained, and for a longer period than tive minutes as detained, and for twelve-and a half ments for every fifteen minutes as detained, and for twelve-and a half sensition or other vehicles, may demand and receive at the rate of fifty per centum on the foregoing sharges, its addition thereto. [Estract from an act of the Corporation, approved March 20, 1842.]

WAIL ARRANGEMENTS AT WASHINGTON POST The Organization of the Executive Departments of the Government of the United States:

Diplomatic Branch.—This branch of the State Department as barry of all correspondence between the department and barry of all its correspondence between the department and other disomatic agents of the United States abroad, and those of foreign power accredited to the government. In it all diplomatic instructions on trom the department, and communications to commissioners unor treaties of boundaries, &c., are prepared, copied, and recorded; and if of like character received are registered and fleet, their contents sing first entered in an analytic table or index.

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Consular Branch.—This branch has charge of the correspondence, &c., between the department and the consuls and commercial agents of the United States. In it instructions to those officers, and answers to their despatches and to lecters from other persons seking for consular affairs, are prepared and recorded.

The Disbursing Agent.—He has charge of all correspondence and other matters connected with accounts relating to any fund with the disbursennest of which the department is charged.

The Translator.—His duties are to furnish such translations as the department rater require. He also records the commissions of consuls and vice consuls, when not in English, upon which exequators are besued.

Clerk of Appointments and Commissions.—He makes out and records commissions, letters of appointment, and nominations to the Senate makes out and records acquators, and records, when in English, the commissions on which they are issued. Has charge of the fibrary.

Clerk of the Bulls and Archites.—He takes charge of the rolls, or enrelled acts and recorductions of Congress, so they are received at the department from the President prepares the authenticated copies thereof which are called for prepares for, and superintensis their publication, and that of treates, in the newspapers and in book form; attends to their distribution throughout the United States, and that of all documents and publications in regard to which this duty is assigned to the department; writing and answering all letters connected therewith these charge of all toldan treaties, and business relating thereto.

Clerk of Authentications and Copyrights.—He has charge of the seals of the United States and of the department for the fees. Has charge of publications transmitted to and accordinates to papers presented for authentications; received and accordinates to papers presented for authentications reasonabiled to

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Clerk of Pardons and Passports—He prepares and records pardons and remissions; and registers and files the petitions and papers on which they are founded. Makes out and records passports; keeps a daily register of all letters, other than diplomatic and consular, received, and of the disposition made of them; prepares letters relating to this hustiness.

ATOMET'S GERMAL'S OFFICE.

Hon. Jeremiah S. Bjack, Attorney General of the United States; A. R. IcCalmont, eaq., chief clerk. The ordinary business of this office may estassified under the following heads:

1. Official opinions on the current business of the government, as alled for by the President, by any head of department, or by the Societor of the Treasury.

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2. Examination of the titles of all land purchased, as the sites of rareals, examination buses, light-houses, and all other public works of he United States.

4. Applications for appointment in all the junctar and regard of the government.
5. The conduct and argument of all suits in the Supreme Court of the United States in which the government is concerned.
6. The supervision of all other suits arising in any of the departments when referred by the head thereof to the attorney General.
7. Ot bees ordinary heads of the business of the office are added at the present time the following, viz:
First. The direction of all appeals on land claims in California.
Second. The codification and revision of the laws of the District of California.

Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Hon. Jacob Thompson, of the State of Mississippi. Its clerical force consists of one chief clerk, (Monas Kelly, e.g.,) two diaburaing clerks, and ten other regular clerks; and to its supervision and management are committed the following braticles of the public service:

Ist. The Public Lands. The chief of this bureau is called the Commissioner of the General Land Office. The Land Bureau is charged with the survey, management, and sale of the public domain, and this issuing of utles therefor, whether derived from confirmations of grants made by forture community by sales, donations, of grants for schools, military bearings or public lupprovements, and likewise the revision of Virginia military bounty-land claims, and the issuing of scrip in fact thereof. The Land Office, also, audits its own accounts. The present Commissioner is Hon. T. A. Hendricks, of Indiana. Its principal officers are a recorder, chief clerk, principal clerk of surveys, besides a draughtaman, assistant draughtsman, and some 150 clerks of various grades.

2d. Paneisms.—The present bead of this bureau is George C. Whitting, of Virginia. The commissioner is charged with the examination and adjudication of all claims arising under the various and

nacety other clerks.

Bd. Indians.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Charles E. Mix, of Georgetown, D. C. He is provided with a chief clerk and about affects other subordinate circles.

4th. Patent Office.—To this bureau is committed the execution and performance of all wates and things tood her and respecting the granting and itsuing of patents for new and second discoveries, inventions, and improvements." the collection of staffster relating to agriculture, the collection and distribution of seeds, plants, and outdings. It has a chief clerk—who is by law the acting Commissioner of Patents in the absence of the Commissioner, and samuel T. Sugert, and twelve assistant examiners of patents, some unreal subordinate permanent clerks, beating to the collection of the commissioner, and Samuel T. Shugert, eaq., Chief Clerk.

Bosides these four principal branches of this new executive department, the organic act of 1849 transferred to it from the Treasury Department the supervision of the accounts of the United States marshall and attorietys, and the clerks of the United States ouris, the management of the lead and other unines of the United States, and the aflars of the perincipal organic acts in the District of Columbia; and from the State bepartment the duty of taking and returning the consecs of the United States, and of the United States of the United States of the Commissioner of Public Buildings. The hospital for the instance of the United States, and of the Entire to the Chair of Columbia; and from the State bepartment the duty of taking and returning the centre of the United States, and of the United States in the District of Columbia; and from the State bepartment the duty of taking and returning the centre of the United States, and of the United States in the District of Columbia; and from the State bepartment; in addition to which, by laws recently passed, the Secretary of the Interior its charged with the construction of the three wagon roads leading to the Pacific coast.

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The Treasury Department consists of the offices of the Secretary of he Treasury, two comptrollers, commissioner of the customs, six au-litors, treasurer, register, solicitor, light-house board, and coast survey.

The following is a brief indication of the duties of these several offi-

ces, and of the force employed therein, respectively:

Secretary's Office.—How. Howell Cobb, Secretary of the Treasury,
Hon. Philip Clayton, Assistant Secretary; one engineer in charge; one
architect, and three draughtenent temporarily employed, and twenty
three clerks. The Secretary of the Treasury is charged with the genoral supervision of the faceal transactions of the government, and of the
execution of the laws concerning the commerce and navigation of the
United States. He superintends the survey of the coast, the light-house
establishment, the marine hospitals of the United States, and the construction of certain public buildings for custom-houses and other purnases.

First Comptroller's Office.—Hon. William Medill, Comptroller, and fiteen clerks. Its prescribes the mode of keeping and reedering account for the civil and diplomatic service, as well as the public lands, and revises and certifies the balances arising thereon.

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sion thereon.

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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT. Four owner density.

Hon. Agron V. Brown, Postmaster General. The direction and management of the Fost Office Department are assigned by the constitution and laws to the Fostmaster General. That its business may be the more conveniently arranged and prepared for his final action, it is distributed among several bureaus, as follows: The Appointment Office, is charge of the First Assistant Fostmaster General; the Contract Office, in charge of the Second Assistant Fostmaster General; the Fostmance Office, in charge of the Third Assistant Fostmaster General; and the Inspection Office, in charge of the chief clerk.

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Appendixment Office—Horsto King, eq., Pirst Assistant Postmaster General; and nineteen clerks. To this office are assigned all questions which rolate to the establishment and discontinuous col post offices, changes of sites and names, appointment and romoval of postmasters and route and local agents, on, also, the giving of instructions to pot-masters. Postmasters are furnished with marking and rating stamps and fetter balances by this bureau, which is charged also with providing blanks and stationery for the use of the department, and with the superintendence of the soveral agenciae established for supplying postmosters with blanks. To this bureau is fixewise assigned the supervision of the ocean mal stearnable lines, and of the foreign and international postal arrangements.

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The Navy Department consists of the Navy Department proper, being the office of the Secretary and of fave bureaus attached thereto, viz. Bureau of Navy Series and Locks, Bureau of Construction, Signipment, and Repair, Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, Bureau of Ordnance and Hydrography, and the Bureau of Mediene and Surgery.

The following is a statement of the duties of each of these offices and of the force engleyed therein:

Secretary's Office—Hon. Isaac Touccy, Secretary of the Navy; Charles W. Webb, etc., chief cierk, and eleven cierks. This Secretary of the Navy has charge of eyerything counceted with the naval establishment, and the execution of all laws relating thereto is intrusted to him, under the general direction of the President of the United States, who, by the constitution, is commander in chief of the army and navy. All instructions to commanders of equations and commanders of vessels, all orders of officers, commissions of officers both in the nay and marine corps, appointments of commissioned and warrant officers, orders for the enhistment and discharge of seamen, emanate from the Secretary, and their orders are performed under the authority of the Secretary, and their orders are considered as emanating from him. The general superintendence of the marine corps forms, also, a part of the duties of the Secretary, and all the orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by bim.

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Bureau of Navy Fards and Docks.—Commodore Joseph Smith, chief of the bureau, four clerks, one civil engineer, and one dranghtsman. All the navy yards, docks and wharves, buildings and machinery in navy yards, and overything immediately connected with them, are under the superintendence of this bureau. It is also charged with the management of the Naval Asylum.

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Bureau of Construction, Epstipment, and Repetr.—John Lenthall, esq., chief of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the mavy, Samuel Archbold, esq., is attached to this bureau, who is assisted by three assistant engineers. This bureau has charge of the building and repairs of all vessels of-war, purchase of materials, and the providing of all vessels with their equipments, as sails, anchors, water tanks, &c. The engineer-in-chief asperintends are construction of all marine steam engines for the savy, and, with the approval of the Secretary, decides upon plans for their construction.

Bureau of Previsions and Clothing—H. Bridge, purser United States navy, chief of bureau, and four clerks. All provisions for the use or the navy, and clothing, together with the making of contracts for fur-nishing the same, come under the charge of this bureau.

nishing the same, come under the charge of this bureau. Bureau, of Ordanaeu and Hydrography. Capt. Duncan lagraham, chief of bureau, four clerks, and one draughtsman. This bureau has charge of all ordanaee sond ordanaee stores, the manufacture or purchase of cannon, guns, powder, ahot, shells, &c., and the equipment of vessels of war, with overything connected therwith. It also provides them with maps, charts, chronometers, barometers, &c. together with such books as are formieded ships of war. "The United states Naval Observatory and Hydrographical Office" at Washington, and the Naval Academy at Amasolis, are also under the general superintendence of the chief of this bureau.

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Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.—Dr. William Whelan, surgeon United States may, chief of bureau, one passed assistant surgeon United States may, and two clerks. Everything relating to medicines and medical stores, treatment of sick and wounded, and management of hospitals, comes within the superintendence of this bureau. WAR DEPARTMENT.

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DROPOSALS FOR MAIL BAGS.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, Jun. 17, 1850 SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this department

the following description—to wit:

Carrass Mail Hags or Sacks.

Size No. 1.—(43 inches in length and 63 inches in circumferency.) to be made of cotton canvas weighing at least lifteen sources to the part of 23 inches with; the threads of the warp and well to be composed of five yarns each.

Size No. 2.—(41 inches in length and 45 inches in circumference,) to be made of cotton canvas weighing at least fourteen onlines to the yard of 25 inches width; the threads of the warp and well to be composed of four yarns such.

Size No. 3.—(52 inches in length and 35 inches in circumference,) to be made of cotton canvas weighing at least eight sources to the yard of 26 inches widt; the winces to the yard of 26 inches wide; the threads of the warp and well to be composed of three yarns each.

of 20 inches were the thread of the warp and wet to be composed of three yaran each.

The canvas loags of sizes numbered I and 2 are to be made with a tabiling or hom at the top of two inches wide, upon which a sufficient number (at least ten to the former and eight to the latter) of cyclic holes are to be wrought; and they are to be provided with good and sufficient hump cords to lace and the them strongly. All are to be well marked, inside and outside, "U. S. Mail," in large and distinct latters.

Leather and Carness Mail Pouches.

Size No. 1—48 inches in length and 60 inches to circumference. Size No. 2—41 do do 48 do do Size No. 3—41 do do 48 do do Size No. 3—45 do do 42 db do Size No. 4—50 do do 42 db do Size No. 5—26 do do 26 db do Size No. 5—26 do do 26 do do Size No. 5—26 do do 26 do do The body of the feather posches is to be made of good and substantial bag leather, well tann d, weighing, for sizes numbered 1 and 2, not less than cipid ounces, and for the smaller sizes not less than seven ounces to the square foot; the bottom (of circular from) and lap to be of good six-ring leather, well tanned: the scans to be well and strongly secured with the best from rivers well tinned.

The canvas pouches are to be made of cotton canvas, densely woven, so as to resist water, weighing, for pouches of size No. 1, not less than 25 ounces to the yard of 31 inches width, or 17 ounces to the yard of 22 inches width, or 17 ounces to the 320 ounces to the yard of 31 inches width, or 18 ounces to the yard of 22 inches with the threads of the warp and well to be composed of at least five yarns each.

Leather and Canvas Horse-Mail Bags.

inches wishth, nor less than 22 onuces to the yard of 20 inches wishth the threads of the warp and welt to be composed of at least four yarns each.

Leather and Coneas Horse Mail Bags.

Size No. 1—Body 48 inches long and 21 inches wide in the widest parts; entis or bottoms of same being 14 by 26 inches. Size No. 2—Body 48 inches long and 18 inches wide in the widest parts; entis or bottoms of same being 14 by 26 inches. Size No. 3—Body 42 inches long and 18 inches wide in the widest parts; entis or bottoms of same being 12 by 24 inches. Size No. 3—Body 42 inches long and 16 inches wide in the widest parts; entis or bottoms of same being 10 by 20 inches. The lentister horse entail bags are to be made of good and substantial bag leather, well tanned, weighing not less than seven ounces to the square foot, and the seams to be well and strongly aswed, or frivited, to be so done as not to chafe horse or rider.

The canvas horse-small bags are to be made of cotton canvas like that described for the larger sized pouches.

Proposals for improvedments in the form or construction of any of the above-described bags and pouches, or in the materials thereof, are invited, and the relative value and adaptation to the service, as well as specified price of any such improvements, will be considered in determining the lowest and best bid.

All the articles contracted for are to be delivered at the expense of the contractor, in Beston, Mass.; New York and Albany, N. T.; Philadelphia and Fittsburg, Ex.; Islainner, Mo.; Washington, D. C. Bickmond, Vis.; Ealeigh, N. C.; charleston, S. C.; Eavannah, Ga. Mohile, Ala.; New Orleans, La.; Knowylle, Nashville, and Monpla; Tenn.; Lonivitle, Ky.; Cincinnatt, Ohio; St. Loris, Mo.; and Cheape, Ill., in such quantities, and at such such times as the department may require and order; and they are to be rigidly inspected before delivery, and none are to be received which shall be informed. In any respect, to the specimens adopted as the standard bags.

The proposals should specify the price of o

place where they recide,) that they will become responsible, do softicient bond, for the due performance of the contract, in case such proposal be accepted.

The specimens or samples must be dolivered at this department on or before the 25th day of April next, and those which shall have accompanied the accepted proposals will, in connexion with such proposals, form the basis of the contracts to be made. Every specimen submitted should be well and distinctly marked with the number denoting its size, and have sinked to it a sample of the materials, (can vasor leather), of which it is made. All specimens deposited by bidders which can, with safety sind convenience, be used in the materials of the same.

A decision on the bids will be made on or before the third day of May next; and the accepted bidder or bidders will be required in outer into contract, with sufficient bond and suredies, on or before the twenty first day of Jose next.

To enable bidders to estimate the number of the different kinds of mail bags which will probably be required, they are informed that there were furnished for the new of the department during the year which ended 30th June instit. 12,505 canyas mail bags; 2,5110 leather mail ponches; 4,400 canyas mail pouches, and 500 horse mail bags.

The proposals should be endersed outside, if Proposals for Mail Bags, and be addressed to the Postmaster General.

ARON V. BROWN,

Jan 19—Law12w

[No. 630.]

By the President of the United States.

I JAMES BUCHANAN, President of the United States.

James Buchanan, President of the United States of America, in pursuance of the provisions of the act of Congress entitled "An act in relation to the lands sold in the Green burg, late St. Helena, land district, in the State of Louisina, and actorizing the resurvey of certain lands in said district," upproved August 29, 1842, and of the nets of Congress authorizing the sale of the public lands, do berely declare and make kinom that a pulse sale with he held at the land office at Genesianto, in the State of Louisiana, commencing on Monday, the recond day of May seat, for the sale of the unappropriated and vacant tracts of public lands at anted within the lands of the following named townships and factional townships, according to the approved plats resurveyed, butter. South of the base line and west of the principal meridian

Townships 1, 2, and 3, and fractional township 4, of range 2.
Townships 1 and 2, of range 3.
Townships 1 and 2, of range 3.
Fractional townships 1, 2, and 3 of range 4.
Fractional township 1, of range 5.
South of the base line and east of the principal meridian.

Townships 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, of range 1.

Townships 5, 6, and 7, of range 2.

Townships 5 and 7, of range 3.

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Townships 5, 6, and 7, and fractional township 8, of range 4.

Fractional township 8, of range 6.

Twenships 5, 6, and 7, and fractional township 5, 61 range 4.
Fractional township 8, of range 6.
Township 6, of range 8.
Fractional township 8 and 9, of range 9.
Township 4, 5, 6, and 7, and fractional township 8, of range 10.
Township 5, of range 11.
Fractional township 8, of range 12.
Township 6, of range 13.
Lands covered by confirmed private claims, appropriated by law for the use of schools, military, and other purposes, together with the "swamp and overflowed," granted, to the State by the acts of Osgress approved March 2, 1889, and September 28, 1850; also, all those tracts for which the patents have been issued or applied for by the day appointed for the commencement of the sale, or which shain of the act of 29th August, 1842, hereinbefore montioned, will be clusted from the sale.

The offering of the above mentioned lands will be commenced on the day appointed, and will proceed in the order in which they are si-vertised, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sile shin closed, but the sale shall not be kept open longer than two weeks and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted until shift the expiration of the two weeks.

Given noder my hand, at the city of Washington, this 11th say of January, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and affry sine.

JAMES BUCHANAN.

By the President: Thos. A. Hindricks, Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS. NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships and fractional townships above manifest is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register are receiver of the proper land office, and make payment therefor as no as practicable after seeing this notice, and helore the day appoint for the commencement of the public sails of the slands embraing the tract claimed; otherwise such claim will be forfested.

Commissioner of the General Ziah Olice.

Nove—Under the regulations of the department, as herefore THOS. A. HENDRICKE,
Commissioner of the General Zand OllecNorx.—Under the regulations of the department, as hereforand now ext-ting, no payment can be made for advertising preliables
tons except to such publishers as are specially authorized to publish
by the Commissioner of the General Land Office.

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UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, February 12, 1859 ON THE PETITION of Richard M. Hoe, of New York, N. Y. jes-ing for the extension of a patent grained to bim on the 1st Si-1545, for an improvement in "Printing Presses," for soven years for the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 1st of Ma-1559—

ing for the experience of the printing Presses, the expiration of said patient, which takes place on the lat of Maj. 1859.

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office of Monday, April 38, at 12 o'clock, m.; and sill persons are notified appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought at to be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent of fice their objections, specially set forth in writing, at leastive easily discountered the day of bearing; all testimony filed by either party to used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in accordance with the rules of the office, which still be furnished on applicate. The testimony in the case will be closed on the 4th of April and depositions, and other papers relief upon as testimony, must be fich in the office on or before the morning of that day; the arguments any, within ten days thereafter.

Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the Union, Washing ton; B. C., and Day Book, New York, case a week for three successive weeks, the first of said publications to be at least sixty days is fore the 18th of April next, the day of hearing.

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P. 8.—Editors of the above papers will please copy, and send hells to the Patent Office, with a paper containing this notice.

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